GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3528
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ALLOTMENT OF LAND TO APEDA BY AAI
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Airport Authority of India allotted land to Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export DevelopmentAuthority (APEDA) for setting up the facility of cold storage at Hyderabad airport;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the said work has since been completed;

(d) if so, whether the APEDA has handed over the building to AAI for operation;

(e) if so, the detials thereof;

(f) whether cold storage facility has not become operational at Hyderabad airport; and
(g) if so, the details thereof and the capacity of the cold storage?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a) & (b):- Airports Authority of India (AAI)has allotted 500 sq.mts. of land to Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA) for setting up a state-of-the -art centre for perishable cargo.

(c):- Yes, Sir.

(d) & (e):- Yes, Sir. The facility was handed over by APEDA to AAI on 3rd March, 2000.

(f) & (g):- In order to encourage private participation in operation and maintenance of Centres for Perishable Cargo at theairports, Offers / competitive bids for selection of a suitable agency for the managment, operation and maintenance of the Centres for Perishable Cargo have been invited through press advertisements. Depending on the response, the facility is likely to be commissioned by October, 2000.